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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTALPATENT

Application No.: 09/753,073  
Filing Date: December 29, 2000  
First Named Inventor: Scott W. Atkinson  
Examiner's Name: Pierre E. Elisca  
Art Unit: 3621  
Attorney Docket No.: 003660.P024X

An Amendment After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) is attached and applicant(s) request expedited action.

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Applicant(s) claim small entity status (37 CFR 1.27).

ATTACHMENTS

Preliminary Amendment  
 Amendment/Response with respect to Office Action  
 Amendment/Response After Final Action (37 CFR 1.116) (reminder: consider filing a Notice of Appeal)  
 Notice of Appeal  
 RCE (Request for Continued Examination)  
 Supplemental Declaration  
 Terminal Disclaimer (reminder: if executed by an attorney, the attorney must be properly of record)  
 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
 Copies of IDS citations  
 Petition for Extension of Time  
 Fee Transmittal Document (that includes a fee calculation based on the type and number of claims)  
 Cross-Reference to Related Application(s)  
 Certified Copy of Priority Document  
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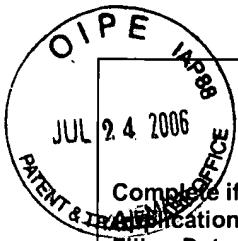
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## FEE TRANSMITTAL FOR FY 2005

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**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)** 0

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**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check all that apply)

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Deposit Account Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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### FEE CALCULATION

#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

| <u>Large Entity</u> |          | <u>Small Entity</u> |          | <u>Fee Description</u>             | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u> |
|---------------------|----------|---------------------|----------|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| Fee Code            | Fee (\$) | Fee Code            | Fee (\$) |                                    |                       |
| 1011                | 300      | 2011                | 150      | Utility application filing fee     | 1,000/500             |
| 1111                | 500      | 2111                | 250      | Utility search fee                 |                       |
| 1311                | 200      | 2311                | 100      | Utility examination fee            |                       |
| 1012                | 200      | 2012                | 100      | Design application filing fee      | 430/215               |
| 1112                | 100      | 2112                | 50       | Design search fee                  |                       |
| 1312                | 130      | 2312                | 65       | Design examination fee             |                       |
| 1013                | 200      | 2013                | 100      | Plant filing fee                   | 660/330               |
| 1113                | 300      | 2113                | 150      | Plant search fee                   |                       |
| 1313                | 160      | 2313                | 80       | Plant examination fee              |                       |
| 1004                | 300      | 2004                | 150      | Reissue filing fee                 | 1,400/700             |
| 1114                | 500      | 2114                | 250      | Reissue search fee                 |                       |
| 1314                | 600      | 2314                | 300      | Reissue examination fee            |                       |
| 1005                | 200      | 2005                | 100      | Provisional application filing fee |                       |

SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 0

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

| <u>Extra Claims</u>   |                     |                     |          | <u>Fee from below</u> | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>    |
|---|---------------------|---------------------|----------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Total Claims</b>   | <b>35</b>           | <b>– 20 or 39 =</b> | <b>0</b> | <b>X \$50.00</b>      | <b>= 0</b>               |
| HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20      |                     |                     |          |                       |                          |
| <b>Independent Claims</b>   | <b>4</b>            | <b>– 3 or 5 =</b>   | <b>0</b> | <b>X \$200.00</b>     | <b>= 0</b>               |
| HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3 |                     |                     |          |                       |                          |
| <b>Multiple Dependent Claims</b>                                      |                     |                     |          |                       | <b>= 0</b>               |
| <b>Large Entity</b>   | <b>Small Entity</b> |                     |          |                       |                          |
| Fee   | Fee                 | Fee                 | Fee      |                       |                          |
| Code  | (\$)                | Code                | (\$)     |                       |                          |
| 1202  | 50                  | 2202                | 25       |                       |                          |
| 1201  | 200                 | 2201                | 100      |                       |                          |
| 1203  | 360                 | 2203                | 180      |                       |                          |
| 1204  | 200                 | 2204                | 100      |                       |                          |
| 1205  | 50                  | 2205                | 25       |                       |                          |
|   |                     |                     |          |                       |                          |
|   |                     |                     |          |                       | <b>SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 0</b> |

**3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE**

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper, the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

| <u>Total Sheets</u> | <u>Extra Sheets</u>                                   | <u>Number of each add'l 50 or fraction thereof</u> | <u>Fee from below</u> | <u>Fees paid (\$)</u> |
|---------------------|---|--|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| _____               | – 100 = _____ / 50 = _____ (round up to whole number) |  | X \$250.00            | 0                     |

| <u>Large Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee Description:</u>  |
|---------------------|---------------------|--|
| Fee                 | Fee                 | Fee Description: Application size fee for each additional group of 50 sheets           |
| Code                | (\$)                | beyond initial 100 sheets (count spec & drawings except sequences & program listings): |
| 1081                | 250                 | 2081 125 Utility   |
| 1082                | 250                 | 2082 125 Design  |
| 1083                | 250                 | 2083 125 Plant   |
| 1084                | 250                 | 2084 125 Reissue   |

**SUBTOTAL (3) \$ 0**

**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****4. OTHER FEE(S)**

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

| <u>Large Entity</u> | <u>Small Entity</u> |      | <u>Fees Paid (\$)</u>                                    |
|---------------------|---------------------|------|--|
| Fee                 | Fee                 | Fee  |  |
| Code                | Fee (\$)            | Code | Fee (\$)   |
| 1051                | 130                 | 2051 | 65   |
| 1052                | 50                  | 2052 | 25   |
| 1053                | 130                 | 1053 | 130  |
| 1812                | 2,520               | 1812 | 2,520  |
| 1813                | 8,800               | 1813 | 8,800  |
| 1804                | 920*                | 1804 | 920*   |
| 1805                | 1,840*              | 1805 | 1,840*   |
| 1251                | 120                 | 2251 | 60   |
| 1252                | 450                 | 2252 | 225  |
| 1253                | 1,020               | 2253 | 510  |
| 1254                | 1,590               | 2254 | 795  |
| 1255                | 2,160               | 2255 | 1,080  |
| 1401                | 500                 | 2401 | 250  |
| 1402                | 500                 | 2402 | 250  |
| 1403                | 1,000               | 2403 | 500  |
| 1451                | 1,510               | 1451 | 1,510  |
| 1452                | 500                 | 2452 | 250  |
| 1453                | 1,500               | 2453 | 750  |
| 1501                | 1,400               | 2501 | 700  |
| 1502                | 800                 | 2502 | 400  |
| 1503                | 1100                | 2503 | 550  |
| 1462                | 400                 | 1462 | 400  |
| 1463                | 200                 | 1463 | 200  |
| 1464                | 130                 | 1464 | 130  |
| 1807                | 50                  | 1807 | 50   |
| 1806                | 180                 | 1806 | 180  |
| 8021                | 40                  | 8021 | 40   |
| 1809                | 790                 | 2809 | 395  |
| 1814                | 130                 | 2814 | 65   |
| 1810                | 790                 | 2810 | 395  |
| 1801                | 790                 | 2801 | 395  |
| 1802                | 900                 | 1802 | 900  |
| 1504                | 300                 | 1504 | 300  |
| 1505                | 300                 | 1505 | 300  |
| 1803                | 130                 | 1803 | 130  |
| 1808                | 130                 | 1808 | 130  |
| 1454                | 1,370               | 1454 | 1,370  |
|                     |                     |      | Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority |

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

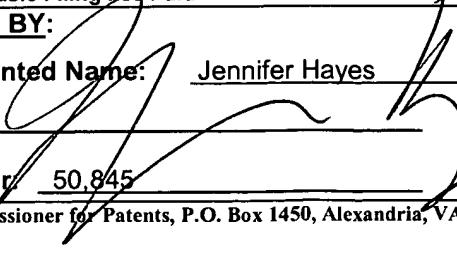
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